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SUBJECT: COTTON TEXTILE BILATERAL AGREEMENT OVERSHIPMENT

1. REPRESENTATIVES INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE FOR IMPLEMENTATION TEXTILE AGREEMENTS (CITA) MET WITH HAITIAN UNDER-SECRETARY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY LAMARTINIERE ADE MAY 9 AT ADE' S REQUEST TO DISCUSS HAITIAN OVERSHIPMENT DURING 1971/72 BILATERAL AGREEMENT YEAR IN COTTON TEXTILE CATEGORY 51 (TROUSERS, SLACKS AND SUITS, WOMENS, GIRLS AND INFANTS, NOT KNIT). ISSUE RESOLVED BY AGREEMENT RAISE CONSULTATION LEVEL (BILATERAL AGREEMENT PARA 5) FOR CATEGORY 51 FOR 1971/72 AGREEMENT YEAR BY 761,836 SQUARE YARDS (AMOUNT OF OVERSHIPMENT) WHICH WILL FIT WITHIN UNDERUTILIZED AGGREGATE SPECIFIED FOR 71/72 AGREEMENT

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YEAR. (HAITI FILLED 70 PERCENT OF AGGREGATE IN 71/72
AGREEMENT YEAR).

2. ADE INFORMED THAT OUR HELPFULLNESS IN THIS CASE DUE
TO THIS BEING NEW AGREEMENT: IN FUTURE, OUR OBLIGATION
TO ASSURE EQUITY TO OTHER BILATERAL COTTON TEXTILE TRADING
PARTNERS WILL LIMIT OUR A0 ILITY TO BE FLEXIBLE.

3. ADE CONCURRED WE DRAFT PROPOSAL FROM GOH TO USG ALONG
FOREGOING LINES. THIS BEING POUCHED EMBASSY FOR TRANS-
MITTAL TO ADE. ROGERS

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